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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed September 30, 2002, please find enclosed a second replacement copy of the Sequence Listing originally filed December 11, 2002.

REMARKS

The Office Communication mailed September 30, 2002, stated that the Communication filed June 28, 2002 failed to comply with requirements of 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 because "no computer readable form of the sequence listing is attached to said communication".

Applicants have enclosed a second replacement copy of the CRF-Sequence

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2002, which is also identical in content to the paper copy of the Sequence Listing filed December 11, 2001.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

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